

**MINUTES OF THE  
SENATE REVENUE AND TAXATION STANDING COMMITTEE**

Room 250, Utah State Capitol

February 6, 2014

**Members Present:** Sen. Deidre M. Henderson, Chair  
Sen. Curtis S. Bramble  
Sen. Jim Dabakis  
Sen. Howard Stephenson  
Sen. John Valentine  
Sen. Scott Jenkins  
Sen. Gene Davis

**Members Excused:** Sen. J. Stuart Adams

**Members Absent:** Sen. Wayne Harper

**Staff Present:** Mr. Leif Elder, Policy Analyst  
Ms. Nancy Skidmore, Committee Secretary

**NOTE:** A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Chair Henderson called the meeting to order at 2:33 p.m.

**MOTION:** Sen. Henderson moved to approve the minutes of the February 4, 2014 meeting.  
The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Jenkins absent for the vote.

**S.B. 134      Taxation Related Referendum Amendments (*J. Valentine*)**

Sen. Valentine explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke to the bill:      Scott Hogenson, Chief Deputy Clerk Auditor, Utah County

**MOTION:** Sen. Valentine moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. *Page 4, Lines 91 through 98:*

91      (14) (a) An election officer shall include on a ballot a referendum that has not yet  
92 qualified for placement on the ballot, if:

93      (i) sponsors file an application for a referendum described in this section;

94      (ii) the ballot will be used for the election for which the sponsors are attempting to  
95 qualify the referendum; and

96      (iii) the deadline for qualifying the referendum for placement on the ballot occurs after  
97 the day on which the ballot will be printed.

(b) If an election officer includes on a ballot a referendum described in Subsection  
(14)(a), the ballot title shall comply with Subsection (12)

98      ~~(b)~~      (c) If an election officer includes on a ballot a referendum described in Subsection

The motion passed unanimously.

Spoke to the bill:      Roger Tew, League of Cities and Towns  
                                 Heidi Erickson, Utah Taxpayers Association  
                                 LeGrand Bitter, Utah Association of Special Districts

**MOTION:**    Sen. Valentine moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously.

**S.B. 136      Local Elections Amendments (*H. Stephenson*)**

Sen. Stephenson explained the bill to the committee.

**MOTION:**    Sen. Stephenson moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously.

Chair Henderson adjourned the meeting at 3:10 p.m.

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Sen. Deidre M. Henderson, Chair